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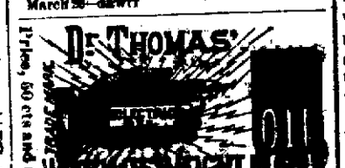

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Not as Immoral as We Seem.

Indianapolis News.

Stockholm a quarter of a century ago had the reputation of being the most licentious city in the world, and it may be no better now, but at the worst it could not have been worse than our national capital, judged by the revelations made in the newspapers recently.

We have referred to the matter because we want to impress our readers with the opinion that the morals of Washington or public men, in these "degenerate days," are no worse than they have been during the past fifty years.

Aaron Burr's social intrigues were hardly less notorious than his political intrigues, and Alexander Hamilton's liaison with a female of the blackmail variety, forced him before the public with a confession of his guilt to avoid the imputation of greater guilt in using public money to propitiate his persecutors. It is about a half century since the Eaton scandal broke up Jackson's cabinet.

It is but a couple of years since a contemporary elaborated two columns of unconvincing indications that an illegitimate son of the author of the Declaration of Independence was living here, in the person of a short, heavy and very black colored citizen.

During Henry Clay's life "the woods were full" of stories of his vices.

In point of fact we believe the world improves, with occasional minor fluctuations like a rising tide, and that the moral improvement, though less discernible, and necessarily less considerable, than the material, is none the less certain.

The bettering of what, for want of a better name, we may call sexual morality, is, in its very nature, largely undiscoverable in a civilized community, except in aggregate results covering considerable periods of time, but we have no reason to separate the vices and ever growing reforms in one because the results are visible, as in drunkenness, and deny them in another, as licentiousness, because the results are concealed.

There has been a great improvement in the tone of social and popular opinion on drinking in the last few years as everybody knows. Is there not reason to suppose a great improvement has been made also in sexual morality?

We believe the nation and its public men are not becoming more licentious, but that there is an equal intimacy in all reformation, and a reform in one direction is an indication of improvement in some other direction.

A Warm Country.

A Mobile accident insurance company recounts the claims it has paid. The list is interesting, as showing the kind of "accidents" liable to happen in that part of the country. Fifteen cases are named, of which one was killed by a fall, another by a railroad train, and one was drowned. The remaining twelve are catalogued thus: "Killed by a pistol." "Hung by a mob." "Gunshot wound." "Pistol shot." "Killed; gun-shot." "Killed; gunshot." "Killed; gun-shot." "Killed; attempting to make an arrest." "Killed; gun-shot." "Killed; pistol-shot." "Killed; pistol-shot."

As a general thing, the third or fourth officer heaves the lead, although the passengers frequently heave. The ship also heaves to.

"Yes, I am a good dancer," said the barber, as he sheared off the blonde locks of a customer. "See me clip the light, fantastic tow."

A Subject of Interest to All.

The money annually wasted in Decatur on comparatively worthless boots and shoes amounts, no doubt, to many thousands of dollars. This is partly owing to a mistaken idea of economy on the part of customers, inducing them to endeavor to buy at too cheap rates, and partly to the fact that many dealers are over anxious to sell at a low figure and at the same time just as anxious to make a big profit, and so sell goods that never ought to be made. The best is the cheapest, and the rule applies to nothing so well as to boots and shoes; those who would have the best must expect to pay a corresponding price, and should insist on an equivalent in quality. It is a mistake to think that dealers are not to blame when a boot or shoe does not wear well. The price should govern the amount of wear, although *fine articles* need some care, and will not long withstand the rough treatment too often given them. At Ferriss' shoe store you can get the very best boots and shoes that can be made at a reasonable price, and every customer pays the same price. Plain figures. Every pair warranted.
July 30-d&wtf

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The I. C. R. R. has decided to run two more excursions to Clear Lake, Iowa, to give those desiring an opportunity of attending the second grand temperance jubilee and the state camp meeting, at the low rate of $9.35 for the round trip, and good to return on any regular train within 60 days. Tickets will be sold for morning and afternoon trains, leaving Decatur at 6:45 a. m. and 3:40 p. m., on July 28th and August 9th. By taking the 3:40 p. m. train, passengers will leave Dubuque next morning at 7:45, and arrive at Clear Lake at 4 p. m. the same day, having a special train from Charles City to destination. C. O. JUDSON, Agent.
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Macon County, }
Macon County Circuit Court.

John B. Stump and James R. Ross vs. William F. Neiderriter In Chancery.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the May term, A. D. 1880, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Tuesday, the 9th day of September, A. D. 1880,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lots eight (8) and nine (9), in block six (6), of B. H. Cassell's Addition to the city of Decatur, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

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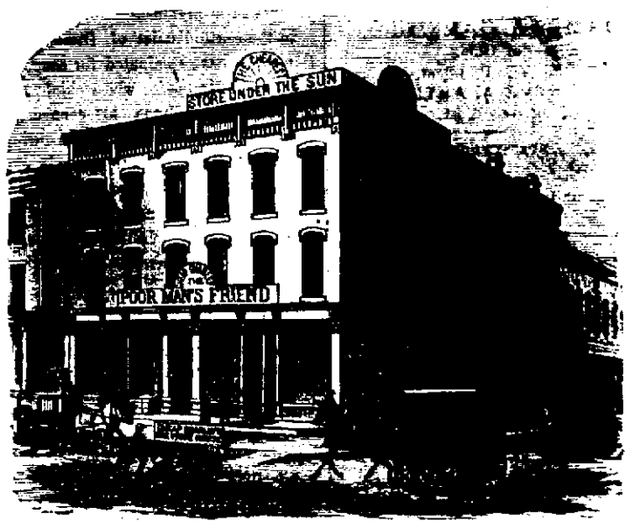

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FRIDAY EVENING, AUGUST 13, 1880.

REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

NATIONAL TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT,
JAMES A. GARFIELD,
of Ohio.

For Vice President,
CHESTER A. ARTHUR,
of New York.

STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
SHELBY M. CULLOM,
of Sangamon.

For Lieutenant Governor,
JOHN M. HAMILTON,
of McLean.

For Secretary of State,
HENRY D. DEMENT,
of Lee.

For Auditor of Public Accounts,
CHARLES P. SWIGERT,
of Kankakee.

For Treasurer,
EDWARD RUTZ,
of Cook.

For Attorney General,
JAMES McCARTNEY,
of Wayne.

For Congress—14th District,
JOSEPH G. CANNON,
of Vermilion county.

For Member of the State Board of Equalization, 14th Congressional District,
CHARLES F. EMERY,
of Macon county.

For Representatives,
JASON ROGERS, of Macon county.
L. LUDDINGTON, of DeWitt county.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Circuit Clerk,
EDMISTON McCLELLAN

For State's Attorney,
WILLIAM C JOHNS

For Sheriff,
WILLIAM W. FOSTER.

For Coroner,
JAMES HOLLINGER

WHO can point to a single Republican rebel?

DID anybody ever hear of a Republican who was a Knight of the Golden Circle?

THE investigation of party records is in order just now. Can anybody give the name of a Republican who belonged to a regiment or company of draft resisters?

THE next state election to be held this year, will be in Arkansas, on September 6. Vermont will vote on the day following, September 7; Maine, September 13; Georgia, October 6, and Ohio, Indiana and West Virginia, Oct. 12. There will be a good deal of interest in the Maine election, and still more in that of Indiana. The election in Wyoming territory will take place September 7.

"CONSIDER what Lee and Jackson would do were they alive. These are the same principles for which they fought for four years. Remember the men who poured forth their life blood on Virginia's soil, and do not abandon them now. Remember that upon your vote depends the success of the Democratic ticket."

Thus spake Wade Hampton, at Staunton, Virginia, on the 26th of July, 1880. Gen. Hampton is one of the Democrats who cannot be accused of inconsistency. He pledges himself "anew to the constitutional doctrine and traditions of the Democratic party." He says they are the same for which Lee, and Jackson, and Hampton himself fought for four years. His head is level; verily they are the same.

REPRESENTATIVE CONVENTION AT CLINTON, ILL.

This convention assembled at Clinton yesterday at 10 o'clock, a. m., in the court house, Macon and DeWitt county being fully represented. The following were the delegates in attendance from this county: E. P. Vail, James Lichtenberger, John A. Brown, A. W. Wells, R. M. Hamilton, A. T. Summers and C. F. Emery.

On motion of Mr. North, of Clinton, John A. Brown was chosen chairman, and Richard Butler, secretary. The call was read, and nominations made as follows: John A. Brown nominated Jason Rogers as representative, which was seconded by E. P. Vail. Mr. Lemon, of DeWitt county, nominated Louis Luddington of Farmer City, which was seconded by Richard Butler. On motion both gentlemen was nominated by acclamation, Messrs. Rogers and Luddington were both called for, and each came forward and thanked the convention for the honor conferred upon them, and pledged their best efforts to the success of the whole ticket. E. P. Vail was called on for a speech and responded in a short address. He was followed by Mr. Lemon, of DeWitt county, after which John A. Brown and J. M. North, were appointed District Committee for the 29th District, after which the convention adjourned.

WE STAND good for all sales of Rinehart's Worm Lozenges and refund money if not satisfactory. 25 cents per box. *Warranted* For sale by A. J. Stoner and J. T. Hubbard. aug12 d&w1w

OUR REPRESENTATIVE TICKET.

The convention at Clinton yesterday was an entirely harmonious affair, both candidates being nominated by acclamation. Of Mr. Rogers we have heretofore spoken, and need only repeat now that he is a stalwart Republican, a good business man, a citizen of irreproachable character, and possessed of the broad views and practical ideas which are so necessary in the acceptable legislator. The other candidate, Major Luddington, is a popular gentleman residing at Farmer City, who is spoken of in the highest terms by his most immediate neighbors. When the war broke out he closed his place of business, posted a notice on the door notifying the public that no more business would be done in that house while the war lasted, enlisted in the army as a private soldier, and stayed until the Democratic rebellion was put down. He rose from the ranks by reason of merit, and came home with a commission given him by Uncle Sam and a crippled limb to remind him of the principles for which Lee, Jackson and Hampton fought, and which, according to the latter, were the same that the Democratic party is contending for today.

The ticket is now complete, and Republicans will go to work to elect every man on it, from Garfield to Hollinger.

"THE Democrats are a body of men most traitors, who cannot be made useful for any purpose."

Our old square neighbor need not bristle up when he reads the above observation. It is not *our* language; it is only a brief remark made in 1872 by one Lyman Trumbull, of Illinois. Ever hear of him?

THE *Democratic party has never yet done an act that would commend it to the favorable consideration of the people of the United States, but, on the contrary, its traditions and its acts are now, and ever have been, a standing menace to the progress and civilization of the nineteenth century.*

The above is the best Republican speech that has been printed this year. It was not made by Ingersoll, or Conkling, or Logan, or Storrs, or Cullom, or any of the great lights of the party. It is one of the utterances of a man named Lyman Trumbull, who once figured quite extensively as a politician in Illinois. Our Democratic friends have probably heard of him.

OUR old square neighbor still treats with lofty disdain the interrogatories we propound to him with reference to his individual position upon political questions during and since the war. We beg leave to assure him that these are not mere idle questions, but have a direct bearing upon the issues of the present campaign. The Democratic party pledges itself anew to its past traditions, and we have sought to ascertain whether our cotemporary favored those issues of his party which are now among its traditions. One of these was opposition to the thirteenth and fourteenth amendments, and as our neighbor declines to answer we assume and charge that when these traditions were living issues he acted with his party in opposing their ratification. Another tradition is that relating to the position of the Democratic party in 1864, when in its national platform it declared the war to be a failure and demanded an immediate cessation of hostilities. We have asked our neighbor to say whether he favored that view of the war at that time and supported the ticket nominated upon that platform. He declines to answer, and we have therefore the right to assume, that he was fully in accord with that view—that he believed the war to be a failure, and wanted an immediate stop put to the whole thing. We have now another question to propound, which we hope this worthy exponent of Democratic traditions will not treat so disdainfully, and it is this: When the Democratic party was controlled in large measure by the secret order variously known as Sons of Liberty, Knights of the Golden Circle, and American Knights, did our neighbor sympathize with that order, or did he make his voice heard in opposition to its teachings and practices? It is a well-known fact that the membership of these various societies was made up exclusively of Democrats, and although many thousands of the votaries of that party never belonged to these orders we do not at present call to mind a single instance in which any state or national convention of the party ever denounced them, or put the seal of condemnation upon their principles. What those principles were is too well known to need explanation at this time. We do not know whether our neighbor sympathized with them or not, nor do we care, except so far as his answer may have a bearing upon the pledge he has made to bear true faith and allegiance to the traditions of his party—this being one of the most notable of the lot. Will he do us the favor to answer?

From the Peotone (Ill.) Eagle.

'PLANTING CORN MIT A SHTRING.'

BY RANDOM ROVER.

In the days of our fathers,
In the long time ago,
In the spring-time they planted
All their corn with a hoe.

When they got their ground all plowed,
Then at it they would go,
They furrowed with a shovel,
Then planted with a hoe.

Then they took the girls and boys
And placed them in a row,
While the girls done the dropping,
The boys used the hoe.

Many funny things were said,
Much wild-oats did they sow,
For they all had a good time
Planting corn with a hoe.

They were happy and content,
But never did they know
Of any better way than
Planting corn with a hoe.

Our fathers they were pious,
And they could pray and sing,
But never did they dream of—
"Planting corn mit a shtring."

Until this age of progress,
Who would thought of such a thing,
As the German truly said of—
"Planting corn mit a shtring."

But then Haworth was the man,
He's nobler than a King,
And the first one that thought of—
"Planting corn mit a shtring."

Then Haworth we will honor,
And his praises we will sing,
For we are all getting rich
"Planting corn mit a shtring."

ONE OF THE TRADITIONS.

The Democrats of Macon county hold a convention to-morrow, and as they have pledged themselves to the traditions of the party we commend to their consideration the following resolutions adopted by the Democrats of Rio, Knox county, Illinois, in 1862:

WHEREAS, Abraham Lincoln, President of the United States, has, by issuing a proclamation freeing the negro slaves of the Southern States, openly set at naught the constitution of the country and arrogated to himself the power to enact and nullify state laws at his pleasure in defiance of state constitutions; and

WHEREAS, He has also in the proclamation ordered and decreed that the executive government, including the military and naval forces, recognize and maintain the freedom of said negro slaves; and

WHEREAS, He further declares and makes known that such freed negroes are to be received into the service of the United States, thus evidently intending to incite the slaves to servile insurrection, that their masters may be murdered, their property destroyed, and as an inevitable consequence their wives and daughters violated; therefore

Resolved, That while we as loyal citizens of the state of Illinois are ever ready to support this or any other administration in its lawful and constitutional acts, we are unwilling to render further support or aid to an administration that openly violates the constitution of the United States and tramples under foot the constitutions of the different states.

2. That the president who has sworn before his God to support and maintain the constitution of his country, and then wantonly violates it, is not only a dangerous and unfit person to be at the head of the nation, but is foresworn and perjured, and should no longer be permitted to disgrace the chair once occupied by Washington, Jefferson and Jackson.

3. That we contemplate with horror the results which must follow the enforcement of the president's emancipation proclamation to the people of the South; that we loathe and abhor the miscreant who would deliberately arm 500,000 demi-savages under the specious pretext of a military necessity, and turn them loose upon our white brethren of the South.

4. That inasmuch as we are forced to the conclusion that the war now waged by the administration against the South is not and has not been for the restoration of the Union, but has had for its object the abolition of slavery, the wiping out of laws, and the territorializing of the Southern States, or, in failing in this, a dissolution of the Union, we here deliberately and firmly pledge ourselves, one to the other, that we will not render any support to the present administration in carrying on its wicked abolition crusade against the South; that we will resist to death all attempts to draft any of our citizens into the army, and that we will permit no arbitrary arrests to be made amongst us by the minions of the administration.

5. That while we regard the Emancipation Proclamation as the final blow that has destroyed all hope of the reconstruction of the Union as it was, we also view it as the entering wedge which will ultimately divide the Middle and Northwestern states from our mischief-making Puritanical, fanatic New England brethren, and finally culminate in the formation of a democratic republic out of the middle, northwestern and southern states, and for this we are thankful.

6. That we will resist the introduction of free negroes into the town of Rio, first, by lawful means, and when that fails we will drive them, together with such whites as may be engaged in bringing them in, out of the state, or afford them hospitable graves.

7. That we recommend to our democratic brethren throughout the state to hold meetings and express their views on the questions now agitating the country.

8. That the secretary be instructed to send the proceedings of this meeting, together with the resolutions adopted, to the Chicago *Times* and Quincy *Herald*.

MRS. WOODWARD has furnished the rooms over F. L. Hays & Co.'s store, where she will carry on a first-class Dress Making business, making a specialty of wedding and party costumes, and giving instructions in the Magic Scale system of cutting. Entire satisfaction guaranteed to all. Patterns, linings and garments cut on short notice. 30-dtf

THE Chicago *Times* is not a Garfield paper, by any means, but it is constrained to say this:

The candor of impartial criticism compels it to be said of the fifty or sixty brief impromptu speeches which Mr. Garfield has made during his journey to New York and return, that in some respects they are very remarkable. Though there was, throughout, a needlessly careful avoidance of any expression of opinion upon unsettled political questions, it can not be said of any one of them that it was an expression of words without ideas. There has perhaps never been made in the country, by any one citizen, an equal number of impromptu responses to popular greetings that were so full of ideas, clothed in language of so much force, eloquence, and beauty. Ordinarily, the politician who is prohibited from "talking politics" can not talk to a popular crowd at all; at least, cannot employ words to express ideas. Some of the ablest of our presidents, under like circumstances, have given utterance only to the feeblest verbal inanities. But in all the many responses Mr. Garfield made during his journey, there is not found a single inane expression. He has shown himself a man of information and ideas upon other than political subjects, who is at no loss to make appropriate and very admirable use of them in a quick emergency. It is not merely in the art of offhand responses that few public men have shown themselves his equal; but it is in their fullness and eloquence of ideas that his offhand responses rise preeminent over all others.

COMPLETE census returns from the State of Oregon have been received. They show a total population of 175,535, against 90,923 in 1873. The population of the city of Portland is 18,967 not counting the Chinese, who are estimated to number 4,500. Salem, the State capital, contains 4,100 inhabitants within the city limits, though by including the residents of the northern, southern and eastern additions, its population is made to exceed 5,000.

MAYOR HARRISON is reported to have stated positively in a recent speech that there were more Democrats than Republicans in the Union army. What proof he advanced in support of his assertion is not stated. It is not likely that he produced the returns of the soldier vote in 1864. He is probably aware that some of the States passed laws permitting their soldiers to vote, and that the votes of the soldiers of those States were separately returned and canvassed. Perhaps the returns of their votes indicate as clearly as anything that it is possible to obtain in the way of evidence what was the political complexion of the national army. The *Times* would, therefore, call Mayor Harrison's attention to the following statement of the soldier vote in 1864, and suggest that he appeal to the figures when next he takes it upon him to state how the army was divided politically:

	Republican.	Democratic.
Ohio	32,751	4,590
Pennsylvania	20,712	12,349
Iowa	17,310	1,921
Wisconsin	15,450	2,291
Michigan	9,402	2,959
California	2,600	237
Totals	104,223	25,347

These figures would seem to indicate that for every Democrat in the army there were about four Republicans. But perhaps the mayor may have other figures, showing a different state of facts. Or perhaps he may be able to show that the Democrats in the army, though being a majority, were bulldozed and prevented from voting, or forced to vote against their convictions. It appears, however, that some of the Democratic majority had the courage to vote the Democratic ticket in spite of the bulldozers. Perhaps those exceptional courageous Democrats were the ones who were conscripted.—*Chicago Times.*

Nice Man,

Chicago Tribune,

Mr. English, Democratic candidate for Vice President is a shrewd fellow. When he was president of the Indianapolis street railway company a little girl was run over by one of his cars, and so badly injured that her leg had to be amputated. English hastened to the mother, and made a compromise for $100. He then called up the driver, and by threats of prosecution, forced him to pay $100 and pay the company's loss.

Wanted!

All kinds of old furniture and household goods, in exchange or for cash. Will pay more than any other house in the city. New furniture, glass and queensware at prices to defy competition. We have no rents to pay, and can give our customers the benefit of the same. Give me a call before either selling or buying elsewhere. HOUSTON,

East side City Park, old Revere House
April 16-dtf

A Subject of Interest to All.

The money annually wasted in Decatur on comparatively worthless boots and shoes amounts, no doubt, to many thousands of dollars. This is partly owing to a mistaken idea of economy on the part of customers, inducing them to endeavor to buy at too cheap rates, and partly to the fact that many dealers are over anxious to sell at a low figure and at the same time just as anxious to make a big profit, and so sell goods that never ought to be made. The best is the cheapest, and the rule applies to nothing so well as to boots and shoes; those who would have the best must expect to pay a corresponding price, and should insist on an equivalent in quality. It is a mistake to think that dealers are not to blame when a boot or shoe does not wear well. The price should govern the amount of wear, although *fine article* need some care, and will not long withstand the rough treatment too often given them. At Ferriss' shoe store you can get the very best boots and shoes that can be made at a reasonable price, and every customer pays the same price. Plain figures. Every pair warranted.

July 30 d&wtf

TELEGRAPHIC

POLITICAL.

THE OUTLOOK IN THE EAST.

Gen. Walker on the Southern Census.

TOLEDO, August 13.—Wheat 96½ cash and September, 96¼ August. Corn 40½ cents.

NEW YORK, August 12.—The reports from Maine and Vermont, received at the headquarters of the National Republican Committee here continue to be of the most encouraging character. In Maine the party is heard from, and although the canvass will be stoutly contested, a Republican triumph is certain.

The question of holding a State Democratic Convention in September for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Chief Justice of the Court of Appeals, which has remained quiescent for a time, is again being agitated in Tammany and anti-Tammany circles in this city. John Kelly, the Tammany boss, is decidedly in favor of the convention, while the Irving Hall party are opposed. A row will probably be the result.

PHILADELPHIA, August 12.—At 1:45 this morning ambulances began to arrive at the hospital in this city, carrying those wounded in the accident on the Atlantic City road at May's landing. All seemed to be either scalded or burned. Very few are smashed or bruised. Many passengers, in leaping through the windows of the cars, fell directly into the river. It appears now as though only one had been killed outright and forty-one injured, nearly all belonging to the northwest part of the city. A number, supposed to be fatally wounded, were not brought to this city. Of the persons on the rear platform of the first train, some jumped to the ground and others rushed panic-stricken back into the cars. The locomotive came bounding on and crashed into the rear car, still standing upon the bridge, and with such force that the engine fairly plowed a furrow half way into the car, and lifted the roof of the car over the smoke-stack. The shock broke one of the cylinders of the boiler, and instantly scalding water was poured out upon the affrighted and helpless occupants of the car. Rain had been pouring down, and all the windows of the car were down, and the steam filling it instantly added to the horror of the occasion and the suffering of the victims. From out the congealing vapor came the shrieks of the women and children and the yells of men. The people on the first train ran pell-mell from the cars or jumped through the windows, and it was some time before they became sufficiently composed to make earnest efforts to rescue the injured and relieve their sufferings. As there were nearly two thousand people from Pennsylvania on the excursion, the excitement among those looking for friends at the wharf, as the wounded were brought over from Camden, was intense.

WASHINGTON, D. C. Aug. 12.—Gen. Walker, alluding to the statements about the fraudulent enumeration of the population in South Carolina and other southern states, says that he has no official information on the subject, but when the schedules are received they will be given a very scrutinizing investigation, and any information in possession of parties cognizant of error or irregularities, will be appreciated as leading to intelligent inquiry, and affording a basis of a supplementary enumeration if necessary. Gen. Walker is determined to have an accurate census, without reference to political interests, and to remedy the gross frauds on the Government by excessive and unwarranted enumerations in many localities in 1870. If any irregularities are shown in the South or anywhere else, they will be remedied by the Superintendent in the exercise of the special authority delegated for that purpose. The disposition in the South to compensate, in some way, for the little progress made there in population or industry in the past decade is well known at the census office, and while full justice will be done in facilitating accurate returns, every bar will be placed to information not warranted by absolute knowledge of the facts, the Democratic political managers in the South to the contrary notwithstanding.

MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, ILL., Aug. 12, 1880.

GRAIN MARKET.	
FLOUR—Patent process	$4.00
FLOUR—White Wheat selling per hundred lbs	$3.00
FLOUR—Red wheat selling per hundred lbs	2.75
WHEAT. (new)	85
CORN MEAL—White selling	45@60
" " —Yellow "	.50
SHORTS—Per hundred, selling	.75
CORN	27@30
OATS	18
Rye	.85
FLAXSEED—Per bushel	1.00
FARM PRODUCE.	
POTATOES	60
BUTTER—Per lb	20
EGGS—Per dozen	8½
LARD—Selling	10
SIDE-BACON—Selling	10
HAMS—Selling	12½
CHICKENS—Per dozen, live	2.00
DRESSED CHICKENS—Each	30
" TURKEYS—Per pound,	10
ONIONS—Per bushel	2.00
APPLES—Per bushel	3 00
TIMOTHY HAY—New, per ton	9.00@10
BALED HAY, selling at	$14
FAT CATTLE—Per cwt.	3.00@3.25
HOGS—Per cwt.	3.00@3.25
HIDES—Green	.6½
" " damaged,	½ price
" —Dry	10@15
SHEEP PELTS—Apiece	.50@1.75
TALLOW—Per pound	5
WOOL	20@1
FEATHERS	

We have always avoided personalities in our advertising, as all who read them know; but when Linn & Scruggs, or any one else, say that we use deception, they tell that which is not true. We have always added 10 per cent. on New York cost, have made no secret of it, nor have not cared who knew it; but what has that to do with the selling price. They say we add 10 per cent. for cost and then add a profit. Is there any great difference between adding 10 per cent. as cost and 10 per cent. as profit, than to add 20 per cent. at once as cost and profit? We *always have kept* and *have in our house to-day* goods that sell at *New York cost*, which is 10 per cent. less than our mark for cost and carriage, with other lines varying from 5 to 25 per cent. advance above N. Y. cost. If we had said we would deduct 20 per cent. from *New York cost* and then left our 10 per cent. on, there would have been cause for a charge of deception; but we said nothing about cost, but that we would deduct 20 per cent. off all goods, except Prints and Muslins, *for CASH, which we are doing;* and these goods, previous to this deduction, were just as low, and some of them lower than Linn & Scruggs or any one else in the city offered them, as thousands of people in Macon county can testify.

F. L. HAYS & CO.

Aug. 7—d&wtf.

EVERYBODY GOES TO THE

NEW FURNITURE STORE!

Where you can buy FURNITURE, QUEENSWARE and GLASSWARE, STOVES and TINWARE, CARPETS, MATTRESSES, LOUNGES, &c., cheaper than any House in Decatur. We want OLD STOVES, FURNITURE and CARPETS, for which we will pay cash or exchange. Call and see us before you buy or sell your goods, at the

CHEAP FURNITURE STORE,

Southeast Corner City Park.

Aug. 5, 1880—dt **F. BUTTS & CO!**

OTTO E. CURTIS. IRA F CURTIS.

OTTO E. CURTIS & CO.,

Successors TO CURTIS & EWING.

In calling the attention of the public to the recent change in our firm, we wish to say that our aim shall constantly be in the future, as in the past, to keep the FINEST and MOST COMPLETE STOCK OF ALL GOODS IN OUR LINE TO BE FOUND IN ILLINIOS OUTSIDE OF CHICAGO, and to offer them at all times to the public at prices lower than smaller dealers, and as low as can be found any place.

Thanking the public for their liberal patronage in the past, and hoping we may merit a continuance of the same, we are,

Respectfully,

OTTO E. CURTIS & CO.,

17 East Main Street, Decatur, Ill.

Aug. 11, 1880—d&wtf

IF you want to sleep in peace, call on Ashby & Andress and get a Mosquito Bar, or they will sell you a canopy frame and you can make it up.
June 30—d&w2mo

SOFT NUT COAL an dry stove wood a McClelland's coal yard.
May 17-dtf

W. LADD'S folding cots, fold up up like an umbrella, for sale at
23d&wtf ASHBY & ANDRESS.

Best Bargains

EVER OFFERED IN ILLINOIS

Have bought the entire stock of the late firm of GLUCKSPIECK & SCHLUSS, of New York. I am enabled to sell anything in the line of

WATCHES!

CLOCKS,
JEWELRY,
SILVERWARE,
OPTICAL GOODS

—AND—

Musical Merchandise,

AT FIGURES BELOW THE LOWEST.

I bought these goods at figures that enable me to sell them at wholesale prices and still make a reasonable profit, and will give my customers the benefit of my bargain. I wish to close out enough of this stock to meet the last payment on them October 1st.

☞ Come early to secure these bargains.

Aug. 12—d&wtf **H. POST.**

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the County Court of Macon county, Ill., in favor of Henry Bishop, fassignee of S. M. Lutz, and against the estate of Joseph B. Myers, deceased, I have levied upon the following described real estate, to-wit: Thirty-five acres on the north part of the east half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-six (26), town sixteen (16) north, range three (3) east of the 3rd P. M., reserving and excepting three (3) acres of the said thirty-five (35) acres, on which is located a burial ground, and one acre on which is located a railroad. Taken as property of the estate of the said Joseph B. Myers, deceased, which I shall offer at public sale at the west entrance of the court house in Decatur, Macon county, in said state, on the 4th day of September, A. D. 1880, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 16th day of August, A. D. 1880.

M. FORSTMYER,
Aug. 11—d3w Sheriff Macon county, Ill.

GRAND TURN-FEST!

—AT—

DANVILLE,

August 14th to 17th, inclusive.

EXCURSION RATES FROM DECATUR.

Fare for Round Trip, $1.50.

The Sixth Biennial Turn-Fest of the Central Illinois Turn Bezirk will be celebrated on the Fair Grounds near Danville, on the days above stated, on which occasion there will be thousands of Illinois and Indiana Turners present, who will compete for many valuable prizes, and hear able addresses by eminent English and German speaking gentlemen.

THE DECATUR TURN-VEREIN

will go to Danville on a

SPECIAL TRAIN!

and all wishing to accompany the party, can do so by purchasing tickets of the committee or at places where they are offered for sale. Fare for the round trip, $1.50. The train will leave on Saturday, Aug. 14th, and will return not later than Aug. 17th.

BASS & CO.'S

PALE ALE

—AND—

GUINNESS' PORTER

ON DRAUGHT

—AT—

CAIN & DODSON'S,

14 Merchant-St.

Aug 10—dtf

HIGHLAND HALL.

[Established by the late Edward P. Weston, L. L. D.]

A BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR young ladies, at Highland Park, Ill., near Chicago. Fifth year begins Sept. 22, 1880. For catalogues, etc., apply to NATHANIEL BUTLER, Jr., A. M., Principal. jaly16d2mo

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The Daily Republican.

FRIDAY EVENING, AUGUST 13, 1880

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce DR. J. H. AXTON, of Maroa, as a candidate for representative from the 29th senatorial district, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention

CITY DEPARTMENT.

CHEAP enough!—162 pieces American China, a full dinner set, for only $18.00, at E. D. Bartholomew & Co.'s.

BAND concert in the park to-night.

TRY one of Will L Ferguson's large frain Fluid Stoves. They are the best in the city. 19-dtf

JOHN TRAINER, ESQ., requests us to state positively that he will not be a candidate for the office of circuit clerk before the democratic convention to-morrow. He says he is perfectly happy in his present position.

LINGER not, but go at once and buy that new carpet you have been longing for at Abel & Locke's.

LEAVE orders at Armstrong's for B. F. Taylor's hack.

DR. SPARKS wants to have it known that the defendant in the suit which he had before Justice Curtis the other day was not a young lady, but a full-grown man.

NEIDERMYER's fresh bread on sale every day.

PETER ULLRICH has a full supply of fresh canned goods.

FRUIT cans and everything for housekeeping at Ashby & Andress'.
Aug6-d&wtf

THE Knight's Templar train will leave at 10:30 o'clock Sunday night over the I. D. & S. railway by way of Tuscola. Tickets must be procured during Saturday and on Sunday afternoon from 2 to 4:30 o'clock. All persons must get their own baggage to the depot.

THE largest stock of cooking stoves in town at Ashby & Andress'. 6 d&wtf

FINE housefurnishing goods at Abel & Locke's, lower than ever before.

GET Joe Halleck, the boss paper hanger, to ornament your walls, and you'll never regret it.

THE Sabbath schools of Wheatland township will hold their annual Sabbath school celebration on the 19th day of August, 1880, at Cornthwait's grove, one and one-fourth miles east of Elwin.—Thirteen schools are expected to be in attendance. Come, everybody, and enjoy a good time. EX. COM.

NOTE THIS—Linn & Scruggs say what they mean, in language that cannot be misunderstood—and do what they say.
Aug. 7, d&w tf.

THE mossbacks of the county will meet in Decatur to-morrow, put their noses together, and give four men the empty honor of a nomination for the various county offices A lively time is anticipated, and a red-hot fight will doubtless ensue.

DR. MARSHALL's Bromoline is the greatest Blood Purifier known, curing all skin diseases promptly and effectually. Try a bottle of it. Sold by Decatur druggists. 10-d&w1w

TOM. CLARK, C. D. Beauchamp and Granville Hale, who have been languishing in the county jail on the charge of robbing Johnny Brewer, were brought out this forenoon for an examination. The parties not being ready to go to trial the case was continued to Monday next Hale gave a bond of $500 for his appearance and was released from custody. Clark and Beauchamp went back to jail.

FOR SALE—Warehouse hoisting apparatus; Fairbanks' warehouse scales, capacity 2500; and 4,000 old cleaned brick, at my warehouse on North Water street.
Aug. 13-d6* ARTHUR E. KINNEY.

A FULL stock of Bed Spreads, Table Linen, Towels, Crash and Napkins.
12-d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

AS A Liver Regulator, we know of no better remedy than Dr. Marshall's Bromoline. Call at the drug store and try a bottle of it. Sold by Decatur druggists.
1g-d&w1w

TINWARE and everything for housekeeping at Ashby & Andress'.
Aug6-d&wtf

THE finest assortment of Carriages, Phaetons, top and open Buggies, and Spring Wagons, of all kinds, ever brought to this market, are now in store at the implement house of V. H. Parke. They are, A No. 1, and warranted. No shyster auction work—good honest goods, at a fair price. Persons wanting anything in this line are invited to call. V. H. PARKE, North of the Priest House.
July 13-d2m

WILHOFT'S FEVER AND AGUE TONIC, the old reliable remedy, now sells at One Dollar. jun 25-d&w4m

MONEY TO LOAN at 8 per cent. on farms Notes payable at Decatur.
Oct. 31—d&wtf J M. CLOKEY

FIRST-CLASS upholstering done at P. B. Provost & Son's. 2-dtf

NEW sheet music and instructors' books, at J. T. Hand & Co.'s. 21-dtf

Unlaundried Shirts.

The best in this market for the least money. It will cost you nothing to examine and price them, whether you buy or not. CHEAP STORE.
11-d&w1w

A Temperate Departure.

The following communication explains itself:

ALEXANDRIA BAY, N. Y., 1880.
Messrs. H. H. Warner & Co:
GENTLEMEN: I have been doctoring the last four years for Rheumatism in the back, Sciatica and Kidney difficulties, and have been at no time free from pain until I commenced taking Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure which has entirely cured me. I want to keep it in the house to treat my friends with, instead of wines and liquors as it will cure the Diseases that they will produce.
Very truly yours,
CHARLES WALTON.

For sale by W. C. Armstrong, druggist. aug12-d&w1w

THE trial of the case of The People vs. Justus Martens, on the charge of black mail, which commenced before Justice Curtis on yesterday forenoon, terminated on last evening at six o'clock. The Justice thought the evidence against Martens sufficient to warrant him in holding him to the December term of court, and he was therefore placed under $200 bonds, in default of which he was committed to the county jail. Now that the editor is in durance vile, the *Volkspeigel*, which is said to be a sort of a German democratic temperance newspaper, will suspend temporarily, if not permanently.

L. R. STICKEL, president of the Wheatland Garfield and Arthur Club, informs us that Hon. J. G. Cannon has promised him that he will be the orator of the day at a grand Republican picnic and mass meeting, to be held near Elwin, during the first week of September. The date will be given to the public in a few days.

REMEMBER, the Decatur Turners will leave for Danville Saturday evening at 7¼ o'clock, and if you want to go along with them and have a good time at the triennial Turn-Fest, which will last until Tuesday next, buy a round trip ticket for $1.50 and beat the train.

SAM GRUNDEN assaulted Charles Tooley on West Decatur street last evening, and Sam was subsequently arrested by Officer Hewes. The prisoner paid the usual fine this forenoon.

PERSONAL POINTS.

Frank Tuttle is home from Missouri.

Rev. J. V. Beekman is delivering rattling Republican speeches in Logan county.

C. B. Bostwick, editor of the Mattoon *Gazette*, was in the city last evening, and gave us a pleasant call. He heard Mr. Cannon's speech.

Harry Haworth, cousin of the Haworth Bros. of this city, and their general agent for the state of Ohio, is in the city. He is "up to snuff," and makes a "fly" agent for the company.

Thomas Ashley, proprietor of the Ashley House, Bloomington, has just been convicted of keeping a gambling house and fined $25 and costs. He allowed the boys to play poker in his rooms.

John Quinlan, who is in the East purchasing new goods for the exclusive carpet house of Abel & Locke, was heard from this morning. He is now at Atlantic City, N. J., enjoying himself at that delightful pleasure resort.

Hon. J. G. Cannon arrived in the city on yesterday afternoon from Danville, and registered at Priest's Hotel. He left for Bloomington this morning, and will to-day be among the distinguished gentlemen present at a grand Republican barbecue and demonstration in progress at Belleflower, in McLean county.

One Dollar to Peoria.

The M. E. church of Warrensburg will give a grand excursion from Decatur to Peoria and return, over the P., D. & E R'y, on Thursday, August 19th, the net proceeds to be for the benefit of the church. The train will leave Decatur in the morning at 7:15, stopping at all stations, and returning will leave Peoria at 6:15 in the evening. Those desiring it can stop at Mackinaw for fishing. While at Peoria, the excursionists will be given an excursion on the lake. This will be a splendid affair, and the community generally should patronize it. Fare for the round trip only $1 00. [Aug13dtd

Drink for the Thirsty.

The W. C. T. U. decided at their meeting this week to serve lemonade in the tabernacle during the day Saturdays.—Look also for a barrel of ice water near by, with drinking cups attached. Per order.
M. M. SARGENT, Sec'y.

Patent Fire Kindler.

Mr. Jesse Newman, of Atlanta, Ill., is in the city, at the Averitt House, exhibiting a patent fire kindler, which is certainly the best thing of the kind we have ever seen. It will start a hard coal fire in three minutes, and is quite inexpensive. It can also be used as a campaign torch, and those who saw the one exhibited in front of the court house last night, need not be told that half a dozen of them would light up a whole procession. The torch will again be exhibited on the streets to-night. Territory for sale by the patentee, Mr. Newman, who will remain here a couple of days.

Don't You Forget It.

Our stock of corsets comprises at no time less than a thousand; is composed of the best class of goods that eastern manuacturers can produce. We sell none but what have been tried and given universal satisfaction. We sell among others, one at 50 cents, one at 75 cents, and one at $1.00, that excel anything in the corset line in this city, or in fact anywhere else. Finally we sell two kinds of the *genuine Bortree* Corsets, and a better was never made. To see and price our corsets is to buy one, but no matter whether you do or not, come in and convince yourself of the truth of our assertions. CHEAP STORE.
Aug 13d&w1w

Union Iron Works.

The above works sold yesterday to Eddy & Smith, of Shenandoah, Iowa, twelve machines of their manufacture, consisting of shellers, corn cleaners, fans and wheat cleaners, and grades to be placed in new grain elevators now being erected by them on the Omaha extension of the Wabash, St. Louis and Pacific railroad. The above firm has been using the goods manufactured by the Union Iron Works in their other elevators and this being the case and they knowing from actual experience the merits which these machines possess, speaks volumes in praise of our home industries. The Union Iron Works are driven to their utmost capacity this early in the season their trade having opened up thirty days earlier than heretofore. They are doing everything, however, to supply their growing trade.

GRAND REPUBLICAN RALLY.

An Immense Outpouring of the People at the Court House Last Night—Much Applause and Laughter.

Hon. Joseph G. Cannon the Speaker of the Evening—Characteristic Remarks by General Oglesby.

The Republican demonstration at the court house last night, under the auspices of the Garfield and Arthur Club, was greater than was anticipated, which only goes to show that the Republicans of Decatur and Macon county who have the general peace and business prosperity of the whole country at heart, are wide-awake and ready for active campaign work. During the evening the Decatur Band rendered a number of their best selections, and by eight o'clock the court room was completely filled, there being a good representation of ladies present.

At 8.10 o'clock W. C. Johns, Esq., the president of the club, in a few brief remarks introduced Hon. J. G. Cannon, the Republican nominee for Congress in this, the 14th congressional district. The gentleman was received with three rousing cheers proposed by the president.

THE SPEECH.

Mr. Cannon, who was well supplied with an abundance of pub. docs. and statistics, commenced speaking at 8:20 o'clock and closed at 9:50, making a good, solid Republican talk, interspersed with innumerable facts and figures, not at all complimentary to the "constitutional doctrines and traditions of the democratic party." He began by saying that he came to talk about politics, and although he was a candidate for re-election to Congress, he was in the same boat with the balance of the candidates, and stood ready to defend and advocate the principles of the Republican party to the best of his ability. He said it would be destructive to the interests of the entire country to give the demo-confederates control of the government at this time. Men are nothing—principles everything; and underlying every great political party are fundamental principles, which, if followed, will save or destroy a country, and the pending contest will be decided Nov. 2d. If it ends, as a majority of the voters of this country believe it will and should, all right. It will be well, not only for four years to come, but for many years in the future. In this contest every man should throw prejudices behind him, and ask, "What shall I do to perpetuate this country of mine for myself and for my children?" If principles are worth anything at all, they are certainly worth contending for, and as history shows, will live as long as time shall last. Great principles and ideas that had their champions hundreds of years ago, have been handed down to us, and still live and permeate the civilized globe. Two opposing elements, it is said, make a good government, and here the speaker branched off to ventilate the early history of the democratic party, stating that in the early days the cavaliers settled in the Southern States south of Mason and Dixon's line, and contended that the minority should rule this country, but the people arose in their might and said No! A conflict came which grew hotter and hotter, and finally slavery was abolished, but the minority still claim that they should rule, and that the majority was in the wrong. The resolutions of 1798, passed by Virginia and endorsed by Kentucky, have been ratified by all subsequent democratic conventions up to and during the war. Those resolutions declared that any state in the union had a right to secede if it so decided, but three-fourths of the people said no, and yet in 1860 eleven of the Southern States stepped out and organized a new confederacy. The people of those seceding states thought they were right; a fight resulted, and they buried their dead by the thousands to advocate their belief in the minority rule. The speaker stated that he had served the people of this district in Congress for six years, had heard, seen, and mingled with members of the lower house from the Southern States, and no congressman whom he had met who had fought on the rebel side was even yet willing to admit that the minority idea was or is in the wrong. When pressed upon that point, they either keep silent or reply as did Singleton, who replied, "Yes, the southern idea was right; my allegiance is first due to my state, Mississippi." Leaving this branch of his argument the speaker addressed himself to the business men. If we wanted a good, safe family horse, we would certainly make inquiries about him; and if a banker wanted an honest cashier, the reputation of the man about to be engaged would most certainly be learned. If the democrats want to get control of this country—and there is no doubt whatever about its wish in this respect—it is our duty to ask ourselves what they are going to do when they get into power. Who constitute the majority of the democratic party? No need of answering that question. There was no necessity of waving the "bloody shirt." The thousands of widows and orphans and cripples in every state of the North told the dreadful story The Republican party has controlled this country for the past twenty years, and up to 1875 we controlled the lower house of Congress, leading the country, the democrats hanging on to the tail gate of the party and pulled along by the advocates of universal freedom and progress. In all the years of the past the record of the democratic party has been bad. Some say the democrats who are now shouting for Hancock, helped to save the country in its great time of trouble. Oh, yes! they helped to do it! They met in Chicago in 1864, and helped to save the union by declaring the war a failure.

Referring to Hancock, the speaker wanted to know if he was in favor of the principles of the democratic party prior to the war. He didn't know, and didn't believe anybody else did.

ORDER NO. 40.

The democrats have nominated Hancock solely on account of civil order No. 40, issued in Louisiana. When Lincoln was assassinated, Johnson became president. He proposed a plan of reconstructing the South, and that plan was the banishment of white unionists from the polls in the South, while the negroes, who then had no legal right to vote, were oppressed by the enactment of state laws that made their condition even worse than slavery. The people of the North said such a state of things should no longer exist, and a Republican Congress passed a reconstruction law putting the Southern States into five military districts, and gave the white unionists and negroes the right to vote. Johnson vetoed the bill, but Congress passed it over his head. The states of Louisiana and Texas composed district 5, and Gen. Phil Sheridan went there to enforce the law of the land. Johnson became desperate and withdrew Sheridan, putting Hancock in his place. General Grant and all good Republicans entered their protests against the change, but Johnson was immovable. Rebel judges and officers had been elected by the rebels in Louisiana, but Congress, previous to Hancock's reign there, had declared such elections illegal and of no effect. Hancock went to Louisiana to enforce the law of Congress, and he did it by issuing Order No. 40, which read: "In time of peace the military should be subordinate to the civil law, and complete peace now exists in Louisiana." There was no peace in Louisiana, and here the speaker showed up Hancock's record in no enviable light, giving an outline of his record in connection with the Democratic party up to the present time, showing the inconsistent course he and his party have pursued, solely with the hope of getting office and power. Hancock and his party have opposed the war and its results without ceasing up to 1880, and now they admit that the majority was in the right, and declare that the principles enunciated in the 13th, 14th and 15th amendments are inviolable. Still the democrats pledge themselves "anew to the constitutional doctrines and traditions of the democratic party." Can anybody tell what all this means? The dodge is plainly apparent.

Leaving Hancock the speaker gave English's record in Congress, as found in the records, showing briefly how he was the only member from the North in the House who voted with the 34 rebel members from the South on an important measure, which act resulted in his immediate retirement to private life.

In conclusion Mr. Cannon gave the last Congress a raking, and showed what Republican legislation had done for the country up to 1876, when they had control of both houses of Congress. In the past 19 years we have sold abroad more of our products than were sold during 71 years prior to 1861. In '60 we had barely 30,000 miles of railroad, now we have 82,000 miles, and the amount of tonnage and freight have increased over 700 per cent. The democrats declare themselves in favor of a stringent tariff, but the Republican party has shown that a wiser course will bring permanent prosperity to the business and industries of the country.

Before closing the speaker mentioned the universal boast of the democratic orators, who say they have 138 electoral votes from the solid south to start with and want only 47 more votes from the north to win. They will get the 138 votes from the south by tissue ballots, fraud, intimidation, proscription, bulldozing, assassination and murder, and they hope to carry New York and Indiana by fraudulent means. The speaker had nothing to hope from the south, but he had strong faith and hopes in the intelligence of the freedom loving people of the Northland, and believed that they would triumphantly elect Garfield and Arthur, and thus save the country from the plunderers.

Mr. Cannon paid a high tribute to Gen. Garfield as a citizen, soldier and statesman, and closed by urging all Republicans within the sound of his voice to go to work earnestly for the success of the party of progress and universal freedom.

GEN. OGLESBY.

At the close of Mr. Cannon's remarks, loud calls were made on all sides for "Oglesby! Oglesby! Dick Oglesby!—Speech, speech!" The General seemed a little bewildered, and was greeted with much applause. He said in substance:

FELLOW CITIZENS: We have been entertained by an excellent speech by our friend, Joe Cannon. Something was said about a faithful old horse. We all like an old family horse that we can trust—one that has been tried and found safe, and so I feel about *our* old horse. He's good enough for you and me, and I'm in favor of keeping him. Here the General made a flattering allusion to Mr. Cannon and his good record in Congress, and made a motion that he be elected for another two years, which motion "Dick" declared carried by a unanimous vote, amidst general applause. The speaker continued: I had been among mountains of Colorado for a number of weeks and in a measure I lost sight of politics and the action of conventions By and by I heard of Hancock's nomination. Hancock was a good soldier, no doubt about that; used to talk about him in a friendly way some years ago with Gen. Moore, Joe Cannon and others I thought well of him and his army record, but here comes Cannon and knocks Hancock into a *cocked hat, inside of twenty minutes* [Great applause] Democrats, I feel sorry for you—more often disgusted with you. [Laughter.] In 1860 you took Breckinridge, and landed him to the skies, but he got left; next Little Mac; then Seymour; next Old Greeley; and then you put up old Cipher alley Tilden and labeled him a patriot and a statesman! [Applause.] But it was all in vain; you are still out in the cold! And now you put up Hancock, a regular army officer, and call yourselves *patriots!* What nonsense. [Great laughter] I have no malice toward the democrats, but what in God's name is going to become of you all? [Renewed laughter.] Every time you make a nomination you make a mistake, and what is going to become of you the d—l only knows!

The General then retired amidst general laughter and applause.

Although it was then past 10 o'clock, Gen. Moore was loudly called for, but he forebore making any extended remarks, and said that on some future occasion he would be pleased to respond at greater length. The large audience then dispersed, all present seemingly well pleased with the speeches of the evening.

Hookies, Attention!

There will be a called meeting of Young America Hook and Ladder Company No. 1, at firemen's headquarters, this (Friday) evening, at 8 o'clock. The new uniforms will be distributed, and it is expected that every member will be present.
A. McCLELLAN, Foreman.
J. S. DEMPSEY, Sec.

Grand After Harvest Excursion to Indianapolis.

Over the I., D. & S. Railway, August 14th, 1880. Train leaves Decatur at 11:55 a. m. Tickets good to return leaving Indianapolis on train No. 1, Monday, Aug 16th, 1880, at 8:20 a. m. Fare, for the round trip, only $2.00. Everybody should go. No baggage checked on excursion tickets. July7-d&wtf

Announcement.

Mrs. Gage's Private School will reopen Wednesday, Sept. 1st. Examination of applicants for classification will commence at 9 o'clock a. m. Tuesday, August 31st, at her schoolroom in Opera Block. Mrs. Gage can be addressed at 709 Washington Avenue, St. Louis. For further particulars send for catalogue.
Aug 4-d&w1m*

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Adjourned Meeting.

DECATUR, ILL., Aug. 12, 1880.

Present—Ald Bramble, Bunn, Dennis, Hardy, Harwood, McNabb, Nichols, and Shoemaker.

Absent—Ald. McDonald and Shellabarger.

There being a quorom present the council proceeded to business, Mayor Waggoner in the chair.

A communication was received from the Bell Telephone Co., in relation to erecting poles for their wires; and referred to the committee on streets and alleys.

The officers and members of the Decatur Guards petitioned the council to make an appropriation to assist them in procuring suitable uniforms. Petition referred to finance committee.

The bond of M. K. Carroll for license to sell intoxicating liquors for a term ending February 10, 1881, was read, approved, and license ordered issued.

Voting aye—Bramble, Dennis, Hardy, Harwood, Nichols, and Shoemaker.

Voting nay—Bunn and McNabb.

The committee on sidewalks and crossings reported back the resolution of Ald. Harwood and recommended that a gravel walk 9 feet wide (instead of 12 ft as called for by the resolution) be put down on the North side of William from Water street east to the alley, report concurred in.

The same committee made the following report upon the resolution of Ald. Bunn in relation to putting down freer stone walks:

Your committee would recommend when parties make application for freer stone sidewalks that the city furnish the gravel, mix and put down the grout providing that the parties making said application shall furnish all lime, cement, and water, and obligate themselves to furnish the material and lay the thin coat, and that all cement used shall be of the best Portland cement. Report adopted.

Mayor Waggoner and Ald. Nichols reported that they had contracted with the Gas and Coke Co., for gas at $2.50 per thousand feet. Contract to date Aug. 1, 1880 Report adopted.

The special committee appointed to examine the city calaboose, reported cost of improving same. When Ald. Harwood moved that the report be referred back to the committee and that Ald. Nichols be substituted for Ald. Shoemaker on said committee. Motion prevailed.

Resolutions referred to committee on sidewalks and crossings:

By Ald. Harwood for gravel walk in front of A. Harpstrite's new building on Prairie street and a gravel walk on Eldorado between Broadway and Morgan

By Ald. Dennis in relation to grading walk in front of Mr. Reibsamen's residence on South Broadway.

Resolutions referred to committee on streets and alleys:

By Ald. Bramble, in relation to grading Decatur street in front of Ald. Shoemaker and Jason Rogers property.

The following resolutions were offered and adopted:

By Ald. Nichols:

Resolved, That one thousand dollars of license money be placed to the credit of streets and alley account.

By Ald. Bramble,

Resolved, That the street supervisor be instructed to fill up, around Mr. Luttrell's Pump in front of his residence on Decatur street.

By Ald. Dennis,

Resolved, That the public is prohibited from depositing any offal or decaying matter of any kind within the city limits.

By Ald. Hardy,

Resolved, That the Street Supervisor be instucted to finish the work on Prairie street from North Main to Pine street.

The chairman of the ordinance committee reported an ordinance regulating the tapping of sewer mains and connections which was read, and adopted by the unanimous vote of the council on call of ayes and nays. For record of said ordinance see page 319 ordinance record.

An ordinance annexing certain territory therein described to the city of Decatur was read, and adopted, by the unanimous vote of the council on call of ayes and nays For records of said ordinance see page 318 ordinance record.

On motion the Mayor was instructed to confer with the I. C. R. R. authorities in relation to moving of their stock yards.

On motion the council adjourned,

Attest: G. P. HARDY, Register.

REDUCE your shoe bills by buying of Barber & Baker. d&wtf

FLAGS, fire crackers, toys, pistols, &c, &c., at J. T. Hand & Co's
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OUR ANSWER

It does not necessarily follow that an advertisement should be [illegible] in order to be *personal*, and we scorn the pretended virtue that [illegible] a *covert* attack.

Surely, Messrs. F. L. Hays & Co. will not pretend that the discount they offered was not prompted more by a spirit of hostility toward [illegible] & Scruggs than any recognized business action. And it is all right, if they saw fit to adopt an aggressive movement. But it will not do, in view of this, to plead "*injured innocence.*" We might have selected an expression less harsh than the word "*deception*" signifies, but the facts would have remained the same, without affording our opponents an opportunity for a squibble.

The practice of adding 10 per cent. on goods and *calling it COST*, has but one object, and that is to keep out of the mind of the salesman the *actual cost*, and to *deceive* the purchaser. We have been obliged to meet just such competition for 10 years, in this city, when a sale was pending. For the same article that is marked to cost Linn & Scruggs $2.00, is marked by F. L. Hays & Co. to cost $2.20, even though it were purchased at the same price. If they offer that article for less than $2.20, they say it is less than cost. If at $2.20, they say it is just cost. If at [illegible] they say we are only charging you 20 per cent., when in fact they are charging you 32½ per cent., and there is nothing in it but *deception* to the purchaser; for whenever mention is made about the cost, it is understood by every one in their house that it has reference *only* to marks on the goods indicating what was paid for it. They seek to impress upon the public the fact that the per centage marked on their goods varies only from 5 to 25 per cent. on Eastern cost. Now we happen to know that a house in Decatur retailed the Rockford half hose at 20 cents a pair—not for a day or a week, but for *months*—after they were informed that we were retailing the same article at 15 cents a pair; *but in order to avoid personalities*, we refrain from giving names. Now the cost of these half hose varied in price from $1.35 to $1.50 per dozen. At the lower price we realized 33 and one-third per cent., and our neighbors realized 66 and two-third per cent.; but at the higher cost we realized 20 per cent, and our neighbors 53 and one-third per cent. And knowing the tendency of those who mark 10 per cent. on their goods to *crowd* a profit, we account for it in this way: When an article costs 12½ cents and you add 10 per cent. to represent the cost, it brings the cost of the article up to 13¾ cts. And then, to retail an article that costs 13¾ cts. at 15c, unless it be brown or bleached muslin, or goods grading with them, it looks like no profit, particularly when they forget they previously added ten per cent. *and that part of it is generally forgotten.* If, as they say, they have been selling goods lower than Linn & Scruggs, or any one else in the city, it is very strange the fact has not been made public.

We say our goods are cheaper with ten per cent. off than F. L. Hays & Co.'s are with 20 off, if for no other reason than the fact that we buy and sell three times as many.

Before this is in print we shall be on our way to New York, to purchase a stock of Fall and Winter Goods, and take this occasion to advertise the fact; and if we find it necessary to say anything more on this subject, we will do so on our return, if not before.

LINN & SCRUGGS.
Aug. 9—d&wtf

A CARD.

In order to make room for our Fall and Winter Stock, we have inaugurated a general CLEARANCE SALE, and from this day on offer all Summer Goods AT A REDUCTION from original prices of

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Main Line.

GOING WEST.

No. 1 Through Express.................. 7:00 a. m
" 3 Fast Line.......................... 4:20 a. m
" 5 Fast Mail.......................... 2:15 p. m

GOING EAST.

No. 2 Lightning Express................ 10:30 p. m
" 4 Atlantic Express................... 11:40 a. m
" 6 Accommodation...................... 7:00 p. m

☞ The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East.............................. 9:45 a. m
Going West.............................. 1:15 p. m

Chicago Division.

On and after Sunday, August 8th, 1880, trains will run as follows on the Chicago Division of the W., St. L. & P. R'y by way of Bement:

GOING EAST.

No. 44, Chicago Express................ 12:10 p. m.
Arrive in Chicago at................... 7:30 "

GOING WEST.

No. 45, St. Louis Express arrive at... 2:50 p. m.

St. Louis Division.

DEPART.

No. 41 Through Express.............. 6:30 a. m
" 43 Fast Line...................... 4:40 a. m
" 45 Fast Mail...................... 3:10 p. m
Freight............................. 7:30 a. m.

ARRIVE.

No. 42 Lightning Express............ 10:25 p. m
" 44 Atlantic Express............... 11:30 a. m
" 46 Accommodation.................. 9:15 p. m

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TIME-TABLE.

DECATUR AND PEORIA SHORT LINE

Peoria & St Louis Express	Mail & Express	1879. Sept. 15.	St Louis Mail & Express	Eastern & South. Express
Leave.			Arrive.	
No. 3.	No. 1		No. 2.	No 4.
7.00 am	4,10 pm	Decatur.	3,38 pm	10,00 pm
8:17 "	5,02 "	Mt Pulaski	2,47 "	8,85 "
8,52 "	5,28 "	Lincoln	2,23 "	7,52 "
9,[illegible] "	6,11 "	Delavan	1,41 "	6,50 "
10,[illegible] "	6,[illegible] "	Pekin	1,10 "	5,44 "
11,30 "	7,20 "	Peoria	12,30 "	5,00 "

Freight leaves at 1:30 p. m.

G. H. COBLEIGH,
Gen'l Manager, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.
L. M. RUPERT,
Chief Ticket Clerk, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.
November 12, 1879.

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Monday, June 14th, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

GOING SOUTHEAST.

Indianapolis Passenger.................. 8:00 a. m.
Mail and Express........................ 4:20 p. m.
Local Freight........................... 8:10 a. m.

GOING NORTHWEST.

Mail and Express........................ 11:35 a. m.
Indianapolis Passenger, arrive.......... 9 00 p. m
Local Freight, depart................... 7:50 a. m.

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LEAVE DECATUR GOING EAST.

[illegible] Express..................... 11 45 a. m
Night Express, daily.................... 10 40 p. m
Freight and Accommodation............... 2 30 p. m

ARRIVE FROM INDIANAPOLIS.

Day Express............................. 2 30 p. m
Night Express, daily.................... 4 35 a. m
Freight and Accommodation............... 9 00 a. m

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[illegible] BOYD, Gen'l Ticket Agent.
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GEO. E. LARY Agent, Decatur, Ill.

Champaign, Havana & Western Railway.

	GOING WEST.		GOING EAST.	
Urbana	7 20 am	8 00 am	6 50 pm	6 20pm
Champaign	6 00	8 20	5 35	6 10
Staley's	8 26	8 35	5 17	5 57
Bondville	8 40	8 50	[illegible]	5 45
Seymour	8 [illegible]	9 05	[illegible]	5 35
White Heath	9 25	9 25	[illegible]	5 20
White Heath	....	9 30	5 15pm	....
Monticello	....	9 55	4 50	....
Allerton	....	10 30	4 25	....
Cisco	....	10 30	4 10	....
Argenta	....	10 55	3 45	....
Oreana	....	11 15	3 30	....
Decatur, Ar.	....	11 40	3 00	LV.
White Heath	9 35 am	7 17 am	4 35 pm	6 05pm
DeLand	10 15	7 36	3 40	5 47
Weldon	10 05	7 48	3 20	5 36
Clinton	11 45	8 13	2 25	5 10
[illegible]	2 15 pm	9 13	1 50 am	4 10
Mason City	4 05	10 03	10 00	3 25
Havana	5 30	10 50	8 00	2 30

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JAY G. RUPERT, General Freight and Ticket Agent, Urbana, Ill.

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ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

DECATUR STATION, Jan. 21, 1878.

Until further notice, trains on this line will leave Decatur as follows:

GOING NORTH.

Passenger,............................ 6:45 a m
Accommodation......................... 3:40 p m
Freight............................... 4:30 "

GOING SOUTH.

Accommodation......................... 10:05 a m
Passenger,............................ 5:25 p m
Freight............................... 9:20 a m

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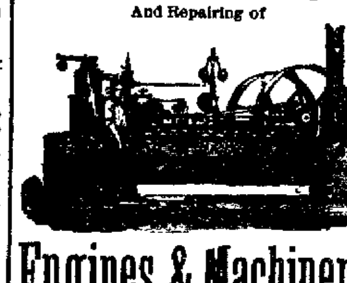

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April 5—d&wtf

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of LAFAYETTE R. STANFIELD, deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Lafayette R. Stanfield, dec'ed, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the county court of Macon county, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of September, A. D. 1880, being the first day of the term.

Decatur, Ill., July 29th, A. D. 1880.
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July 29—d3w

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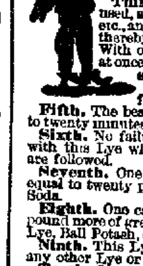

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Macon County Circuit Court.

Daniel W. Brenneman and Eli Brenneman vs. Julius Reinhart, Emma Honnecker, Julia Honnecker, Ida Honnecker, Bertha Honnecker Philip Honnecker and Henry Reinhart—No. 11095.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the May term, A. D. 1880, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Wednesday, the Fourth day of August, A. D. 1880,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot three (3), in block ten (10), of Allen, McReynolds & Co.'s Addition to the town (now city) of Decatur, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Ill., July 14th, 1880.
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July 14—d21d

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This 7th day of August, A. D. 1880.
M. FORSTMYER,
Aug. 9-d3w Sheriff Macon county, Ill.

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon county, }

Macon County Circuit Court.

John H. Crocker, executor of the last will of John Crocker, deceased, vs. Samuel Camp, Emily J. Camp, Joseph W. Foot, Tabitha Spore, George W. Corn, Margaret Collings, Perpetua Briggs, Lavinia Williams and Otillia Young—Bill to foreclose mortgage.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the May term, A. D. 1880, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Tuesday, the 9th day of September, A. D. 1880,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The southeast quarter of the northeast quarter and the east half of the southeast quarter of section two (2), in township eighteen (18) north, range two (2) east of the third P. M., together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Illinois, Aug. 7th, 1880.
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Wednesday, the 1st day of September, A. D. 1880,

sell at public outcry, upon the premises below described, all the personal property belonging to said copartnership, consisting of three horses, two mules, 22 cows, 12 calves, 20 steers, 10 heifers, about 55 head of hogs, about 100 tons timothy hay, two farm wagons, one buggy, mower, feed mill, plows, harrows, harness, wood, posts, &c; also the following described real estate:

The west half of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 16; also commencing 28 rods, 7¼ links west of the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 16, thence west 11 rods, 17½ links, north 40 rods, east 11 rods, 17¾ links, south 40 rods to beginning, except beginning 12 chains, 95 links east of quarter section corner on west line section 16; west 66 links, north 7 chains, 59 links, south, 68¾ degrees east, 69 links, south 7 chains, 63 links to beginning

Also, beginning at southwest corner of southeast quarter of northwest quarter of section 17, thence north 20 chains, 10 links to northwest corner southeast quarter of northwest quarter of section 17, east 13 chains, 97 links to center of Decatur & Springfield road, south 41 links, south, 75¼ degrees east, 13 chains, 83 links to east line of west half of southwest quarter of northeast quarter, section 17, south 15 chains, 80 links to quarter section line, west 29 chains, 67 links to beginning; also all that part of southeast quarter of the northeast quarter, and of the east half of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 17, which lies south of the center line of the Decatur and Springfield road.

Also, the south half of the southeast quarter, and northwest quarter of southeast quarter; 15 acres east end north half northeast quarter of southwest quarter, section 17; also northwest quarter of northeast quarter, 15 acres west end north half of northeast quarter of northeast quarter; the east half of southwest quarter of northeast quarter, and east half of west half of southwest quarter of northeast quarter, section 20, all in township 16 north, range 2 east of the 3rd P. M., in Macon county, Ill., all inclosed with a good fence.

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About one-third of the above real estate is upland and well set in timothy; the remainder is rich bottom land, well set in blue grass, and is crossed by the Sangamon river, which affords abundant water for stock. There are two dwelling houses, outbuildings, and a good orchard upon said premises

KILBURN H. ROBY, Receiver.
June 29, 1880—d&wtd

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